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A SUSPENSION COMPRISING FIBRINOGEN,  
THROMBIN AND ALCOHOL, A METHOD  
FOR PREPARING SUCH A SUSPENSION, A  
METHOD FOR COATING A CARRIER WITH  
SUCH A SUSPENSION, A METHOD FOR  
DRYING A COATING OF A CARRIER, AND  
A COATED COLLAGEN SPONGE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced U.S. patent application please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please insert the following on page 1, before line 4:

The present application claims priority from Provisional Application Serial No. 60/263,699, filed January 25, 2001.